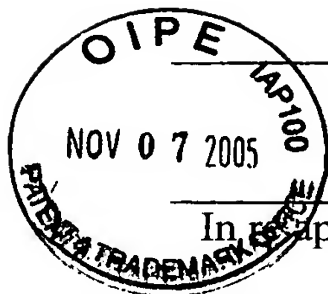


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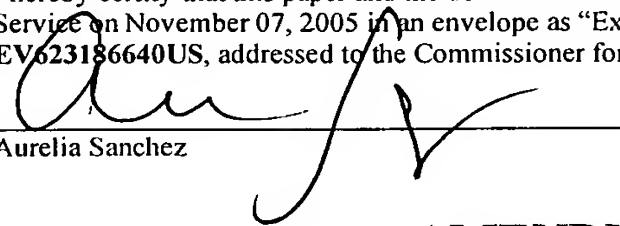
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## AMENDMENT A TRANSMITTAL

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 P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:


Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Independent Claims	07	MINUS	07	00	x 100 =	x 200 =
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid						
Total					\$	\$

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. STELP001).

Respectfully submitted,  
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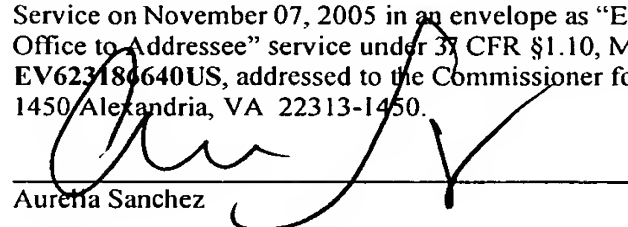
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**AMENDMENT A**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 5, 2005 please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.